

PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD

Effective October 1, 2003

Application or Docket Number

09/599674

CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)
TOTAL CLAIMS		
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	minus 20=	*
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	minus 3 =	*
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT <input type="checkbox"/>		

* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

SMALL ENTITY
TYPE ☐

OR OTHER THAN
SMALL ENTITY

RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE	385.00
XS 9=	
X43=	
+145=	
TOTAL	

RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE	770.00
XS18=	
X86=	
+290=	
TOTAL	

CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

2-28-03

	(Column 1)		(Column 2)		(Column 3)
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA
	Total	* 10	Minus	** 20	= -
	Independent	* 2	Minus	*** 3	= -
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>					

SMALL ENTITY

OR

OTHER THAN
SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
XS 9=	
X43=	
+145=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

OR

RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
XS18=	
X86=	
+290=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

	(Column 1)		(Column 2)		(Column 3)
AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA
	Total	*	Minus	**	=
	Independent	*	Minus	***	=
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>					

RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
XS 9=	
X43=	
+145=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

OR

RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
XS18=	
X86=	
+290=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

	(Column 1)		(Column 2)		(Column 3)
AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA
	Total	*	Minus	**	=
	Independent	*	Minus	***	=
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>					

RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
XS 9=	
X43=	
+145=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

OR

RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
XS18=	
X86=	
+290=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

* If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.

** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "20."

*** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, enter "3."

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in column 1.

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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	Brian J. Brown, Michael L. Davis
Application No.:	09/599674
Filed:	June 22, 2000
For:	Improved Longitudinally Flexible Expandable Stent
Examiner:	Paul Prebilic
Group Art Unit:	3738

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Docket No.: S63.2N-5605-US03

AMENDMENT

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated September 29, 2004.

An extension of time is believed to be required to make this response timely. In the event that no separate petition is enclosed, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time sufficient to make the response timely. In the event that this response requires the payment of government fees and payment is not enclosed, please charge Deposit Account No. 22-0350.

Please amend the application as follows:

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Conclusion

In light of the above comments, claims 9-14 and 17-20 are believed to be in condition for allowance. Notification to that effect is respectfully requested.

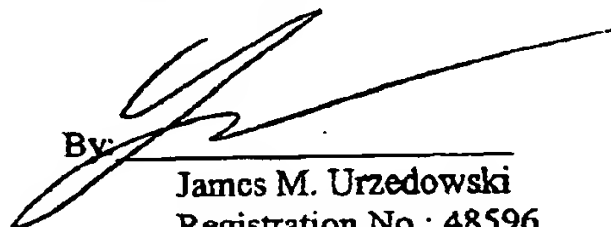
Respectfully submitted,

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